

ABSTRACT

Forests – Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives – Proposal for composting the bio-wastage generated in State Forest Research Institute through modern machinery and techniques to enrich the rural economy, under State Innovation Fund for the year 2017-2018 (2nd round) at a total cost of Rs.10.00 lakhs - Sanction – Orders issued.

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.7) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No: 40

Dated : 09.02.2018 ஹேவிளம்பி, தை– 27 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு – 2049.

Read

- 1) From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Letter No. J1/22053/2017, dated 22.06.2017.
- 2) From the Member Secretary, State Planning Commission Letter No. 1644/SPC(PC)/2017, dated 14.11.2017.

ORDER:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has stated that the research plots and other open areas of State Forest Research Institute generate a lot of bio waste in the form of leaf litter, broken branches, twigs, dead branches, bamboos and weeded biomass etc., Proper disposal of these bio waste is of utmost importance to keep the research plots clean and to avoid any fire hazard especially in summer. If this biomass is properly disposed by converting them into compost, it will be a useful product and also has a potential for generating revenue. The traditional method requires more than a year's time for converting the dead branches and other woody parts into compost. By using the shredder, Pulverizer machinery and using modern techniques, the time required can be considerably reduced and faster composting of the entire biomass without any wastage can be achieved.

- 2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has, therefore, requested to sanction a sum of Rs.10.00 lakhs (Rupees Ten lakhs only) for composting the bio-wastage generated in State Forest Research Institute through modern machinery and techniques to enrich the rural economy, under State Innovation Fund for the year 2017-2018 (2nd round).
- 3. The State Planning Commission has recommended the above proposal in the letter second read above.
- 4. The Government, after careful consideration, accept the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, sanction a sum of Rs.10.00 lakhs (Rupees Ten lakhs only) to implement the scheme of composting the bio-wastage generated in State Forest Research Institute through modern machinery to enrich the rural economy, under the State Innovation Fund for the year 2017-2018 (2nd round).

- 5. (i). The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-
- "2415 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION -06 Forestry 004 Research State's Expenditure JI Composting bio waste in SFRI through modern techniques under State Innovation Fund 19 Machinery and Equipments 01 purchase.

(DPC - 2415 06 004 JI 1916)"

(ii) The expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account:-

"2415 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION - 06 Forestry - 902 Deduct - Amount met from State Innovation Fund. State's Expenditure. JA Deduct - Amount met from State Innovation Fund. 30 Inter Account Transfers.

(DPC - 2415 06 902 JA 3005)"

And Contra -debiting the following fund account:-

"J- Reserve Fund – (b) Reserve funds not bearing interest – 8229- 00 – Development Welfare Funds – 200. Other Development and Welfare Funds – BE State Innovation Fund.

(DPC - 8229 00 200 BE 0006) (Outgo)"

- 6. Necessary funds have been included in the Supplementary Estimates 2017-2018.
- 7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 4 above. He is also requested to ensure that the amount sanctioned therein is utilized in full and to send the utilization certificate as soon as the work is completed.
- 8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O.No.64605/AHD&F/2017, dated 05.02.2018.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

Md. NASIMUDDIN PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Principal Accountant General, Chennai-18.
The Accountant General-I/ II,
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Copy to:The Finance (AH&F) Department, Chennai-9.
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